

**North Carolina Department of Public Safety  
Prisons  
Policy Summary Sheet**



**Tobacco Policy**

**Chapter: F**

**Section: .2500**

**Current Review Date:**

**March 18, 2020**

**Reviewed By:**

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**Current Revision Date:**

**March 18, 2020**

**Supersedes Revision Dated:**

**July 2, 2012**

**Current Revision Summary (if applicable):**

All current changes are highlighted in yellow. General changes throughout policy include changing “inmate” to “offender”, “Prisons” to “NCDPS Division of Prisons”, “ceremonial tobacco” to “ceremonial herbal mix” and “kinnikinnick” to “mix”. Other minor grammatical corrections made where necessary.

**Specific Changes**

**.2503 Tobacco-Free Facilities**

Page 2 (b) (1) has been changed “Resource Guide and Reference” to “Operational”.

(C) Modified removing “white” sage to “gray sage.”

(F) modified removing “three (3) times a week” to “two (2) times a week”.  
Added additional language at the end which states, “If requested a talk circle may be approved.”

(c) (5) removed “TAP” and replaced with “NCVIP”

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Correctional Planner II

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